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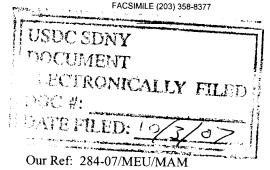
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RODINO SHIPPING CO. LTD. v. UNICORN STEEL FZE, RE: 07 CV 6383 (WHP)

Dear Judge Pauley,

We are the attorneys for Plaintiff Rodino Shipping in the above action in which the Court has scheduled an initial pre-trial conference for October 5, 2007 at 9:45 AM. We are advised that the parties have tentatively agreed to a settlement the terms of which should be finalized sometime next week with settlement funds to be paid by the end of October. Accordingly, we request the Court to adjourn the conference for a period of sixty (60) days pending completion of the settlement and submission of a notice of voluntary discontinuance.

We thank the Court for its courtesy and consideration to this request.

Application

SO ORDERED:

WILLIAM H. PAULEY III U.S.D.

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Respectfully yours,

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The conference is adjourned to December 72007